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SUBJ: RISE IN DECEMBER CPI

1. STATISTICS CANADA RELEASED ON JANUARY 13 DECEMBER
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX SHOWING RISE OF 0.3 PERCENT FROM
152.2 IN NOVEMBER TO 152.7 (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED).
MOST OF INCREASE ATTRIBUTED TO HIGHER FOOD COSTS AND
SHELTER CHARGES.

2. FOOD COMPONENT INDEX ROSE 0.4 PERCENT, FROM 165.4 TO
166.0. HIGHER PRICES FOR FRESH MILK, BREAD, PROCESSED
FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, CHOCOLAT BARS AND COFFEE WERE
PARTIALLY OFFSET BY LOWER PRICES FOR BEEF, PORK, POULTRY
AND FRESH FRUIT.

3. ALL-ITEM EXCLUDING FOOD INDEX INCREASED 0.3 PERCENT,
FROM 147.4 TO 147.9. HOUSING INDEX WAS UP 0.4 PERCENT,
FROM 153.9 TO 154.5; CLOTHING UP 0.3 PERCENT, FROM 135.0
TO 135.4; TRANSPORTATION UP 0.1 PERCENT, FROM 148.1
TO 148.3; HEALTH AND PERSONAL CARE UP 0.2 PERCENT
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FROM 148.2 TO 148.5; AND TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL UP 0.4
PERCENT, FROM 137.5 TO 138.1. RECREATION, EDUCATION
AND READING DROPPED 0.1 PERCENT, FROM 138.8 TO 138.7.

4. CPI ROSE 5.8 PERCENT BETWEEN DECEMBER 1975 AND
DECEMBER 1976, COMPARED TO 9.5 PERCENT INCREASE
REGISTERED BETWEEN DECEMBER 1974 AND DECEMBER 1975.

RISE IN ANNUAL AVERAGE INDEX IN 1976 WAS 7.5 PERCENT,
COMPARED TO CORRESPONDING 10.8 PERCENT INCREASE IN 1975.

5. ON SEASONALLY ADJUSTED BASIS, CPI ADVANCED 0.5
PERCENT BETWEEN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, WITH 0.7 PERCENT
INCREASE IN FOOD INDEX AND 0.3 PERCENT RISE IN ALL-
ITEMS EXCLUDING FOOD.

6. IN DECEMBER, CURRENT ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE IN CPI,
BASED ON SEASONALLY-ADJUSTED MOVEMENT IN LATEST THREE-
MONTH PERIOD WAS 6.8 PERCENT.
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